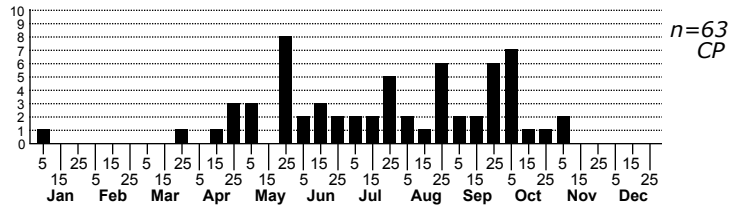
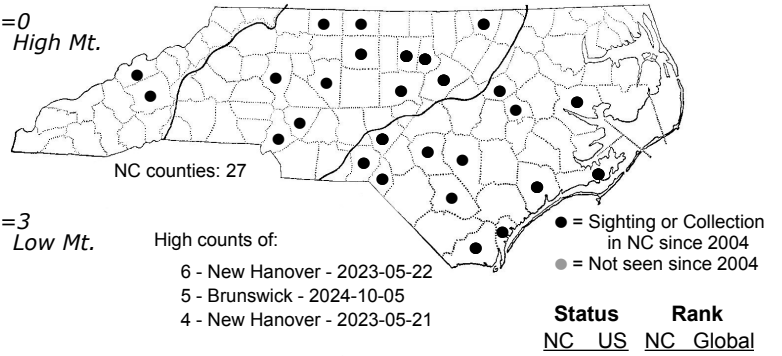
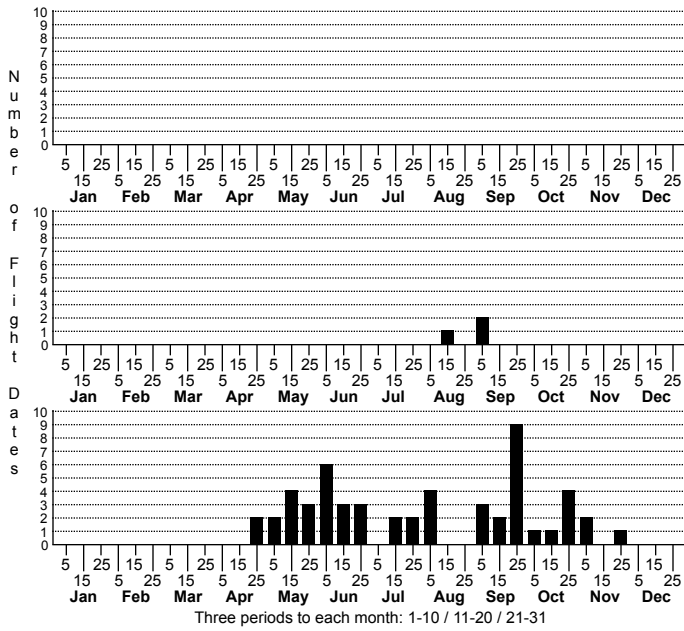


# *Dioryctria amatella* Southern Pine Coneworm Moth



FAMILY: Pyralidae SUBFAMILY: Phycitinae TRIBE: Phycitini  
 TAXONOMIC\_COMMENTS:

FIELD GUIDE DESCRIPTIONS:

ONLINE PHOTOS:

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, ADULTS: Neunzig (1996)

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, IMMATURE STAGES:

ID COMMENTS:

DISTRIBUTION: Please refer to the dot map.

FLIGHT COMMENT: Please refer to the flight charts.

HABITAT:

FOOD: Larvae feed on various pines. Reported hosts include Shortleaf Pine (<i>P. echinata</i>), Longleaf Pine (<i>P. palustris</i>), Pond Pine (<i>P. serotina</i>), Loblolly Pine (<i>P. taeda</i>), and Virginia Pine (<i>P. virginiana</i>) (Baker, 1972; Meeker, 2004).

OBSERVATION\_METHODS:

NATURAL HERITAGE PROGRAM RANKS: [GNR] S4S5

STATE PROTECTION: Has no legal protection, although permits are required to collect it on state parks and other public lands.

COMMENTS: